

What is Electronic Data Interchange (EDI)?

EDI is the computer to computer exchange of information between you and the Employment Development Department (EDD). You can now file your DE 6 Quarterly Wage and Withholding Report electronically using EDI.

What are the equirements?

There are three requirements:

- Use a computer and modem,
- Send your data in the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) X12 standard format; and,
- Obtain the services of a Value Added Network (VAN).

What is a Value Added Network (VAN)?

A VAN is a third party service provider for EDI communication services. A VAN is like a delivery vehicle; it delivers your data to an electronic mailbox and EDD picks it up. A VAN provides a secure environment where your tax data is stored and retrieved daily by EDD.

What are the benefits of using EDI?





EDI has many benefits:

- Saves you time and money by filing your report electronically.
- Quicly updates your account.
- Provides a rapid and secure data transmission without manual intervention.
- Increases the accuracy of your filling.
- Automatically provide acknowledgement of receipt.
- Provides a single point-of-contact for electronic filing (your very own EDI representative).

How do I obtain software?

You have four options:

- Develop your own programming to convert your data to the ANSI X12 standard EDI format.
- Ask your payroll software vendor if they offer an EDI conversion product.
- Ask your payroll software vendor to recommend a product that is compatible with your existing payroll software.

 Obtain software from a VAN service provider.

How do I sign up for EDI?

Sign and return the Electronic Data Interchange Filing Agreement (DE 813A). To obtain a DE 813A, please access EDD's Internet site or contact our office.

E-mail: ecom@edd.ca.gov

Internet site: www.edd.ca.gov

Telephone:

(916) 796-3524 (Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.)

Mailing Address:

Employment Development Department Electronic Commerce Section

EDI, MIC 15A P. O. Box 826880

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We look forward

to hearing from you!

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Please send the Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) Trading Partner Implementation Guide (DE 813) to me at the following address:

Company	Attention	
Address		
City	State	Zip
Phone Number	E-mail	



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